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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Paul Kruger, former president of the Transvaal republic, died yesterday in Switzerland. —— Headquarters for the Mormon church have been established in Chattanooga, Tenn. —— Russians continue to fall back before the advance of the Japanese; the latter are entrenching near Ta Tche Kiao. —— Judge Parker continues to receive numerous letters of congratulation. —— Representatives of the United Mine Workers called upon President Roosevelt yesterday. —— In the fighting at Port Arthur Sunday the Japanese losses were 2,800 and the Russian loss 1,800. —— Widow of the junk dealer found murdered in Brooklyn left Asheville, N. C., to lay claim to a fortune left by the man. —— The Chinese emperor is reported dangerously ill. —— Five persons drowned at Edgewater, Va., while bathing. —— Mass meeting of citizens of Memphis, Tenn., adopted resolutions criticising the mayor and other officials for not enforcing the laws. —— Armour & Co., it is said, will open a branch slaughtering house in Richmond, Va. —— Congressman Bourke Cockran, August Belmont and others of the New York State Democratic committee were in conference with Judge Parker yesterday. —— There are indications that the strike in the meat packing industries will be settled by arbitration. —— An attempt to lynch two men charged with murder at Lancaster, Pa., was prevented by policemen. —— Rioting began last night in the stock yards in Chicago. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call easy at 1@1½; cotton quiet at 11.25c; flour dull but steady; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red nominal; corn—spot steady, No. 2 red 53¾c; oats—spot dull, mixed 26 and 32 pounds, 43@45c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine steady at 55½@57c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 14.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 79 degrees; 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .23; rainfall since first of the month to date, 3.50 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—For North Carolina: Fair Friday; showers Saturday; cooler in the interior; fresh south winds.

Port Almanac—July 15.

Sun Rises	4.54 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.16 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 21 M.
High Water at Southport	9.48 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	12.18 A. M.

We would like to see that telegram of congratulations which Roosevelt sent to Parker (?)

One redeeming trait of the Democratic party is that it most always nominates for President men who have more brains than the party.

Judge Parker takes a daily swim in the Hudson river. He can row, too, and is just the man to row the Rough Rider up Salt Creek without a paddle.

Senator Tillman was in Washington the other day and denied that he and Senator Bailey were thrown out of an automobile. We have heard before of men who had no recollection of what happened to them, but they always assigned a cause for it.

The wages of 25,000 cotton mill operatives at Fall River have been cut 10 per cent. but we guess they will be given a promise that it will be restored if Roosevelt is elected. We wonder if they are on the 10 per cent. bargain counter.

We reject the campaign poetry that rhymes "how the man full of booze felt" with a line ending with Roosevelt. The rhyme must be something that sounds like "Rosy-velt," the way the President pronounces his name.

The "reorganizers" captured the Democratic national convention at St. Louis and now Col. Bryan proposes to start a reorganization movement for the round up of the reorganizers in 1908. Verily, the Nebraskan refuses to believe that he is on the outside. "Hope springs eternal in the human breast."

Says the Washington *Post*: "It is reported that Mr. Carroll, of Texas, is going to refuse to run with Dr. Swallow on the Prohibition ticket. In that event we urge that Boozena Sokup, of New York, be selected to fill the vacancy. We think we know of localities in which a Swallow and Sokup ticket would be very popular." We can furnish a Mr. Gulp, of North Carolina, if Dr. Swallow can stand the racket.

The Guatemalan red ant puts a quietus on the cotton boll weevil but they just as leave bite a darkey cotton picker as not. A Texas farmer sought an injunction against the importation, domestication and propagation of these ants because some on his plantation began to take a taste of his colored farm hands. His application for a restraining writ was refused by the court, but it is only another instance that the Southern white man is the negro's best friend.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Register to-day.

— Rocky Mount has organized a Chamber of Commerce with J. C. Braswell as president.

— An article headed "The Dispensary a Curse" appears on the third page of the STAR to-day.

— A force of hands has begun double-tracking the A. C. L. road from Rocky Mount to a point below Elm City.

— A meeting of the growers in Marion county, S. C., will be held at Marion to-day for the purpose of organizing a Truckers' Association.

— County Commissioners Alexander and Robertson went down to inspect the straw road in Federal Point township yesterday. Ordinary pine straw spread over a sandy road, they say, is proving an excellent expedient.

— Registrars and poll-holders should bear in mind that under a decision of Attorney General Gilmer it is not necessary that an elector shall have paid his city poll-tax in order to qualify him to vote in the Dispensary election.

— Duplin *Journal*: "From the enormous amount of pepper being shipped from this section our friends at the North can have a hot time if they like. Okra is also going forward. So they can take it a slipping and a sliding too."

— On account of a congested criminal docket Gov. Aycock has called a special term of Edgecombe Superior Court to be held by Judge M. H. Justice beginning Aug. 15th. At the special term George Judge, formerly of Wilmington and charged with incendiarism at Rocky Mount, will be tried.

— A valued subscriber at Fayetteville objects to a head-line in this paper a few days ago: "More Murder in Cumberland." The STAR is very glad to repeat a correction which appeared in yesterday's paper. The murders were committed across the line from Cumberland.

— Mr. and Mrs. Rice, who reside at No. 415 South Fourth street, have the sympathy of friends in the death of their little daughter, Ella Blanche—which occurred Wednesday evening. The remains were taken yesterday to Rocky Mount for interment.

— Suburban car No. 31, in charge of Conductor Riggs and Motorman Beaton, split the switch on Princess, between Fifth and Sixth streets, between 11 and 12 o'clock last night turning nearly crosways on the track. There was no damage to the car or passengers, but traffic was blocked for the remainder of the night.

Elks for Cincinnati.

From present indications Wilmington will send a strong delegation of Elks to the annual reunion of the order in the United States at Cincinnati, Ohio, next week. Besides Past Exalted Ruler I. W. Solomon, who will go as the official representative of Wilmington 533, there will also probably be in attendance Past Exalted Ruler C. T. Harper, Exalted Ruler Carl W. Polvogt, Messrs. Julius P. Taylor and George V. Harold. The Charlotte delegation will also be strong and will be headed by Osmond Barringer and the Charlotte Drum Corps. Members of the drum corps were initiated into the order Thursday night so it will be able to compete for the prize, as under a recent ruling none but Elk organizations will be permitted to enter. The Wilmington contingent will leave to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Bereaved.

Friends in the city will regret exceedingly to learn of the bereavement of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Mayo in the death of their only child, William Walton, aged 16 months, which occurred in Columbia, S. C., at 2:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The remains will reach Wilmington this afternoon and the funeral will be conducted at 5 o'clock from the family residence, No 307 Harnett street; thence to Oakdale cemetery.

Reunion of Duplin Veterans.

William J. Houston Camp, U. C. V., is arranging for a big reunion and basket picnic at Kenansville on Thursday, Aug. 4th. A committee of ladies from every township in Duplin county has been appointed to have the arrangements in hand and that is a guarantee of the success. Hon. Oliver H. Allen, of Kinston, Capt. Swift Galloway, of Snow Hill, and Col. A. M. Waddell have been invited to make addresses.

Cantaloupes and Melons.

Mount Olive shipped its first car load of cantaloupes Tuesday and another one Wednesday, consisting of something over 300 crates. The first car of watermelons also went North Wednesday. The *Tribune* of Mount Olive says that cantaloupes are bringing from $1.75 to $2.25 per crate.

Pastor Hale's Mother Dead.

Rev. Fred. D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, received the sad news Wednesday night that his mother was dying at her home in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Dr. Hale left at once for Hot Springs and will arrive there to-day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Electric Fan—Keep cool.
Str. Compton—Up river Sunday.
Seaboard Air Line—Schedule change

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost—Plain gold ring.

IT GOES MERRILY ON.

Two Open-Air Meetings With Speeches on the Dispensary Question Last Night.

PROGRESS OF CAMPAIGN.

City Attorney William J. Bellamy Identifies Himself With the Movement. Wagers Being Laid—Some Mooted Questions Settled.

Speaking after the manner of those of the baseball fraternity, the dispensary people had a double-header last night in their campaign of speeches and popular open-air rallies. Hon. Heriot Clarkson, of Charlotte, spoke for an hour at Fourth and Harnett streets to a crowd of about 200 and Hon. H. A. London, of Pittsboro, spoke to a gathering of about the same number and for practically the same length of time at Fifth and Castle streets. A number of ladies were present and manifested enthusiasm in both meetings. The addresses, from a dispensary standpoint, were good and the speakers were given closest attention. There were no untoward incidents such as interruption of the speakers and the like. Profiting by experience at a meeting last week, a special detail of policemen was sent to each place of speaking as a precautionary measure.

Both speakers expressed themselves rather vigorously upon the report published in the newspapers that one large industrial plant—The Wilmington Cotton Mills—had had a placard posted in the factory suggesting to its employes that it would be mutually of advantage to the corporation and workmen to register and vote against the dispensary. Beyond that allusion the speeches were along general lines. Mr. Clarkson devoted much time toward speaking of the great prohibition victory in Charlotte and the causes which led up to the result.

City Attorney William J. Bellamy identified himself with the dispensary movement in a ringing speech introducing Mr. London in the Fifth ward. His position had been somewhat problematical up to that time but his declarations in presenting the distinguished visitor left no further doubt of his future stand. Mr. Clarkson was introduced by Mr. W. M. Cumming at the meeting in the First ward. Following Mr. London's speech in the Fifth ward, Mr. H. W. Malloy, president of the Navassa Guano Company, made a brief address in advocacy of the dispensary.

On the Other Side.

Members of the allied trades unions in the city who are opposed to the establishment of a dispensary in Wilmington met last night in Union Hall and enjoyed a smoker as a means of crystalizing the sentiment in their direction. Two members of the party made speeches, which were well applauded. The crowd was reported as having been fairly large. Refreshments were served from the Dixie Cafe and the meeting broke up with great enthusiasm.

Indications As to Result.

It was stated last night that bets were being laid two to one that the dispensary would be defeated. It is known that during the day one offer of $100 to $75 was offered on a similar wager. Lots of even money is being deposited and some of it is being taken. A few bets are also being made on majorities, the saloon men in some instances claiming as much as 500.

As to Registration.

To day is the last upon which voters may register absolutely without question. The hours are 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. To-morrow is challenge day, but some are holding that voters may also register on that day. A majority of the opinion, however, appears to be that to day is the last for registration.

As to Poll Tax Payment.

In September, 1903, Mr. J. G. Morrisett, who was registrar for the election on prohibition held in Scotland Neck, an incorporated town, wrote Attorney-General Gilmer to ascertain whether or not the payment of the poll tax was necessary in order to qualify an elector to vote in the special election on prohibition. To this the Attorney-General replied:

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 8, 1903.

Mr. J. G. Morrisett, Scotland Neck, N. C.:

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th instant in which you ask two questions in relation to the payment of poll tax as affecting the right of an elector to vote. Replying thereto I beg to advise you that:

1. That the amendment to the Constitution requires that before a person shall be entitled to vote he shall have paid on or before the first day of May in the year in which he proposes to vote, his poll tax for the previous year. A person liable for State and county tax who has never listed nor paid the same, cannot vote simply because he had failed to list his poll tax. If he desires to vote the law requires him to list his poll tax and to pay it within the prescribed time, otherwise he cannot vote.

2. I do not think the law requires the payment of municipal poll tax for the previous year as an action precedent to the right to vote in the election referred to in your letter.

Very respectfully,
ROBT. D. GILMER,
Attorney General.

This means that every man who is properly registered and who paid his State and county poll tax for last year prior to May 1st is entitled to vote in the dispensary election, whether he has paid his city poll tax or not.

— Duplin *Journal*: "Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruark, of Lexington, arrived Saturday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Westbrook. They left Sunday to visit at Wallace."

PRETTY AFTERNOON SERVICE.

Miss Sarah E. Hankins Became the Bride of Mr. Edwin Ray Clarke, Popular Young Railroad Man.

In the presence of a few friends and a number of relatives and in a very pretty home wedding service performed by the Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of Grace M. E. church, Miss Sarah Elizabeth Hankins, daughter of the late Stephen D. Hankins and Mrs. Ida Hankins, yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock became the attractive bride of Mr. Edwin Ray Clarke, the popular chief clerk in the Atlantic Coast Line Passenger Department at Wilmington.

The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 412 North Front street, and while it was quiet on account of a recent death in the family, it was nevertheless very pretty and impressive. There were no attendants.

Mr. Clarke is a native of Louisville, Ky., but has been a resident of Wilmington for some time and has made many friends here. He is held in the highest esteem both by his employers and the public at large. The bride is a young woman of charming personality and is much admired in her native city. After the ceremony yesterday Mr. Clarke and bride left on the northbound train for an extended bridal tour to Washington, D. C., Louisville, Ky., and the St. Louis Exposition.

Among the out-of-town guests here for the wedding were Mrs. Clarke, mother of the groom elect, and her granddaughter, Miss Clarke, of Louisville, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Davis Hankins, of Babcock, Ga.

DELIGHTFUL SAILING PARTY.

The Misses Beebe Charmingly Entertained in Honor of Guests.

A delightful sailing party was given last night at Wrightsville Beach by the Misses Beebe complimentary to their guests, Miss Haughton, of Washington, N. C., and Miss Makeley, of Edenton. Quite a large crowd from the "social world" of the city were down as their guests.

Among the party were Miss Robinson, of Charlotte; Miss Brevard, of Charlotte; Miss Hunter, Warrenton; Miss Clark, Tarboro; Miss Haughton, Washington; Miss Makeley, Edenton; Miss Margaret Bridgers, Miss Bessie Bridgers, Miss Eloise Beebe and Miss Minnie Beebe; Mr. Taliafero, Charlotte; Mr. Joe Ramsey, Rocky Mount; Mr. Thomas, Charlotte, and Messrs. Burke Bridgers, Meares Harris, Frank Harris, Waddell Watters, Sam Potts, Jr., Strudwick Nash, Wm. Walker, Roy McKnight and Wm. Smith.

Mrs. Beebe acted as chaperone. Elegant refreshments were served, and all came home declaring the Misses Beebe the queens of entertainers.

Another "Injun" Day.

The Red Men of Eyota and Cherokee tribes of Red Men have arranged for another all-day excursion to Carolina Beach on the steamer "Wilmington" Thursday, July 21st, and what they will do at that favorite resort on that particular occasion will be a "caution." By special request the big war dance will be repeated and an added feature will be a sparring match between two scientific ring experts of Wilmington. The excursion is for the benefit of the "Haymakers" and the following chiefs compose the committee to make all arrangements: James Winberg, F. B. LeGwin, George T. Hewlett, W. H. Lane, G. W. Simmons, B. C. Bordeaux, L. E. Snipes, W. L. West, W. L. Burkheimer, I. N. Burriss, R. F. Rowan and F. K. J. Fuchs.

Enlarging Dry Goods Store.

Mr. J. H. W. Bonitz is having built a brick annex at the rear of the Paris Millinery Emporium, at 129 Market street, Mr. M. Braddy, proprietor. The addition is 25 feet wide and 75 feet long. A balcony will be built in the annex, and the addition, when completed, will give more than double the floor space now occupied by the Emporium. The top floors will be used as an annex to the Bonitz House.

Chamber of Commerce.

The Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce met yesterday morning but the business transacted was largely routine. The John S. McEachern Co. was elected to membership in Class D at $25 per year. Members of the Executive Committee at the meeting were President J. A. Taylor, Messrs. M. F. H. Gouverneur, L. M. Bear, L. B. Rogers and M. S. Willard.

Sunday School Anniversary.

Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., of Wilmington, has accepted an invitation to make an address at the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the New Hope Sunday school at Town Creek, Brunswick county, next Wednesday. Rev. L. W. Curtis, of Southport, will also speak and there will be a basket picnic and other features of entertainment.

An Up-River Excursion.

Something new and novel in the way of an afternoon excursion up the Cape Fear River Sunday afternoon on the steamer "Compton" is advertised this week. Stops will be made at Navassa, Riverside, Mt. Misery, the old railroad dock, Donaldson, river junction and other points of interest on the river. The boat leaves at 2:45 P. M.; returns at 6:30 P. M. Fare only 15c.

Take the children to the Casino—25 cents round trip on trolley line for children under twelve years.—No charge for children under 5 years.

EXPERT TRAP SHOTS.

Returning from Inter-State Shoot at Wilson Professionals Are Guests Here.

SOME SPLENDID SCORES.

Records Made by Messrs. Hawkins and Storr—Wilmington Gunners Well Up the List—Public Invited to Exhibition This Afternoon.

The Wilmington Gun Club will have as its guest at its regular weekly shoot this afternoon, Mr. J. Mowell Hawkins, of Baltimore, Md., traveling representative of the Winchester Repeating Arms Co. Mr. Hawkins is recognized as one of the greatest target shots in America, having won the championship of Maryland when he was only 17 years of age.

In a tour of several States, including North Carolina, Virginia and Maryland, this Spring, he missed only eight targets out of 735, and at the West End Gun Club shoot in Richmond a few weeks ago he broke 196 out of 200, making a run of 183 straights. Mr. Hawkins is not only an expert shot but a genial, pleasant companion.

Mr. E. H. Storr, the popular representative of the Peters Cartridge Co., will also be present. Mr. Storr is likewise an expert trap shot of wide reputation who makes friends wherever he goes by his jolly disposition and unselfish deportment.

Messrs. Hawkins and Storr, who will be guests of the Wilmington Club this afternoon, are staying at The Orton. The public is invited to attend the shoot this afternoon and witness the exhibition by the professionals.

The shoot this afternoon will begin at 3:30 o'clock and all those who wish to take part should take the 3 o'clock car. The visitors leave on the 6:50 train this evening and the shoot will necessarily have to be earlier than usual.

Wilmington gunners who attended the Inter-State shoot at Wilson Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, returned yesterday. The tournament, they said, was very smooth and some fine scores were made. The $5 gold piece to the expert making the best average each day was won by Col. J. T. Anthony, of Charlotte, on Tuesday and Mr. E. H. Storr, of the Peters Cartridge Co., the second day. Mr. Storr led the Wilson shooting for both days with a score of 320 out of a possible 350. Col. Anthony and Mr. George Lyon, of Durham, tied for second place with 318. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., of this city, was among the leaders with 303. Mr. R. F. Warren, of Wilmington, broke 206.

CAROLINA YACHT CLUB HOP.

Delightful Affair at Wrightsville Beach To-night—Special Car for Dancers.

The first of a series of delightful hops on Friday night of each week during the season at the Carolina Yacht Club, Wrightsville Beach, will take place to-night and hundreds of club members and their friends are looking forward to the event with real delight. Neat little invitations bearing the club monogram in colors were mailed yesterday by the Commodore and Governing Board and the attendance of members will doubtless be large. The hop is complimentary to the ladies of the club and their friends. Mr. Clayton Giles, Jr., will be floor manager and will have entire charge of the dancing. The music will be by the Casino orchestra.

For the benefit of Wilmington people, who desire to attend the dance, a special "Carolina Yacht Club" car will leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30 o'clock sharp and return at the pleasure of the passengers. The committee in charge is composed of Commodore Jno. K. Williams, Fleet Captain J. VanB. Metts and Mr. S. M. Boatwright, member of the Governing Board.

No Tobacco This Year.

Wilmington will have no tobacco market this season. That fact was finally determined at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Wilmington Tobacco Warehouse Co. yesterday afternoon, following a general meeting of the stockholders the day before. At the meeting yesterday afternoon the lease of the warehouse property to Mr. W. T. Sears and others interested in the new box factory here for a period of three years was consummated. It is probable that the machinery for the stemmery which arrived too late to be put in operation last season will be shipped back to the factory. The tobacco business last year was unprofitable everywhere and the Wilmington company did not feel like continuing a losing game for another season. Perhaps after a while, when conditions are changed, the buildings will again be converted to warehouse purposes.

News of the Excursions.

Cameron, Sutton & Co., of Calypso, will bring in an excursion from Goldsboro and intermediate points to-day, and the party will go straight through to Carolina Beach. On account of waiting for the excursion the steamer "Wilmington" will not leave until 10:15 o'clock this morning instead of 9:15 as usual. Southerland, Wilson & Fussell Bros. will run an excursion from Clinton to Wilmington and return, with stops at all points as far as Burgaw, on Friday, August 5th. Fussell Bros. will run an excursion from Burgaw to Richmond on July 27th. Hatch Bros. will run another excursion to Wrightsville Beach to-day week.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

— Among yesterday's arrivals was W. O. Player, of Savannah.

—The family of Mr. R. V. Leonard are spending the Summer at Southport.

—Mrs. Walter R. Kinsbury and children are spending the Summer at Southport.

— Messrs. A. J. Robbins and E. H. Cranmer, of Southport, are guests at The Orton.

— Mr. W. R. Slocum, formerly of this city, but now of Norfolk, is here for a brief visit.

— Miss Maude Holt, of Charlotte, is visiting Miss Mary Allen Short at Lake Waccamaw.

— Dr. Jos. Whitaker, of Raleigh, is a guest at the cottage of Mrs. Bridgers, on Wrightsville Beach.

— Miss Biggs, of Savannah, and Miss Bell, of Pelzer, S. C., are the guests of Mrs. R. D. Tucker.

—Judge Walter H. Neal and wife, of Laurinburg, arrived yesterday and are guests at the Seashore Hotel.

—Dr. W. H. Crowell and family, of Burgaw, were here yesterday. Mrs. Crowell and children left in the afternoon.

— Miss Mary Graham, of Charlotte, and Miss Laura Myrover, of Fayetteville, are visiting the Misses Sloan, on Grace street.

— Among last night's arrivals were: Gordon Williams, Charlotte; J. P. Leak, Rockingham, and W. A. Stilley, Goldsboro.

—Mrs. H. L. Vollers and children and Mrs. E. Vollers have gone to spend the Summer at Highlands, N. C., in the Sapphire country.

— Miss Lillie Belle Jewett, of Savannah, Ga., will arrive to-day to visit the family of Capt. Jno. M. Walker on Wrightsville Beach.

— Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McIver have as their guests Miss Wilson, of Darlington, S. C., the Misses McIntosh and Mr. McIntosh, of Dovesville, S. C.

— Miss Mary Barr, of Kinston, N. C., left yesterday morning for her homeafter a plesant visit in the city. Miss Lillian Stemmerman accompanied her.

— Miss Lizzie Moran, of Baltimore, who has been visiting at Cronly, N. C., is stopping in the city on her way home. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Pinner.

— Mrs. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, Mrs. G. B. McLeod and Miss Irene McLeod, of Lumberton, who are guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. James Owen Reilly leaves this morning for Blowing Rock to join a party of Wilmingtonians spending the Summer there. Among them are Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Harper, Miss Annie K. Harper and Mrs. C. T. Harper.

—Mr. H. G. Latimer, of Auburn, N. Y., arrived yesterday on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Latimer, and his brother, Mr. William Latimer, on Wrightsville Sound. He was accompanied by his son, Mr. H. G. Latimer, Jr.

— Among yesterday's arrivals at the Seashore Hotel were: Misses Fannie and Oeland Shelby, Miss Sarah Kelly, Charlotte; Mr. Hatcher Webb, Shelby; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Staton and children, Williamston; J. T. B. Shaw, Greensboro.

— Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thorburn, formerly of this city but now of New York, left yesterday after a visit to the family of Mr. F. A. Muse. Mr. Thorburn was at one time with the old C. F. & Y. V. but is now a soliciting agent for the Southern.

NEW HANOVER PENSIONERS.

County Board in Session Yesterday—List of Applicants—Recommended.

The New Hanover County Pension Board met in postponed annual session at the Court House yesterday afternoon, Col. W. L. DeRosset, the chairman, presiding. The business transacted consisted of an examination and recommendation of applicants for pensions out of the $200,000 provided by the State for its old soldiers and widows of Confederates, who are in need of financial aid. All members of the County Board were present, viz: Col. DeRosset, Capt. Geo. W. Huggins and Mr. O. M. Fillyaw. Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court, was also present.

It was ascertained that since the list was made up last year four soldiers and four widows have died and one soldier has moved to another State. In place of these, six widows and three soldiers are recommended in their places, making the number from this county the same as last year—52 soldiers and 25 widows. Most of the beneficiaries are in the fourth class and receive comparatively only a small amount.

Sunday School Excursion.

Three hundred children and their parents of the First Baptist Sunday school enjoyed a delightful outing at the Casino, Wrightsville Beach, yesterday. Five cars of the Consolidated Company were run for their special benefit at 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and all had an enjoyable outing.

Junior Order Growing.

State Organizer J. E. Bridgers, of Raleigh, has returned from Kenly, where he instituted a thriving lodge of Jr. O. U. M., with twenty eight charter members. Mr. Bridgers organized a lodge at Wadesboro, and will institute another at Maxton on Monday.

Exhibition of

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Every Night, Sunday Excepted, at 9 P. M.

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Animated Poster,
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LOCAL PORT PARAGRAPHS.

Naval Stores Market—Receipts of Cotton. Tramp Steamer for New Orleans.

"Quiet, 52½ cents," was the quotation on spirits turpentine on the local market yesterday. Rosin was firm at $2.35 bid.

Twenty-one bales of cotton were received on the Wilmington market yesterday from the Wilmington and Weldon railroad. The local market has been quoted "nominal" for some time.

The steamer "Planet Venus" cleared yesterday for New Orleans where she will complete discharging cargo of kainit and receive cargo for a foreign port. While the "Planet Venus" is a steamer of large tonnage, she is by no means the largest that ever visited the port as some have been led to suppose.

Mayor's Court Yesterday.

In the Mayor's court yesterday Jim New, white, was fined $20 and costs for disorderly conduct Tuesday night at Eighth and Castle streets. William Armstrong, the Castle Haynes negro charged with the larceny of a bicycle from Mr. Paul Cantwell, was sent to jail in default of $100 bond for his appearance at the September term of Superior Court. Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared for the negro, but Mayor Springer held that there was probable cause to bind over.

CHAIRMAN SIMMONS CALLS

Democratic State Executive Committee to Meet for Outlining Campaign.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 14.—Chairman F. M. Simmons issues a call for a meeting of the State Executive Committee on July 26th in this city to organize and outline a plan for the campaign.

A dip in the ocean these hot afternoons is a pleasure beyond compare—car every half hour in the afternoon.

NATIONAL GUARD ENCAMPMENT.

Adjutant General Issues Orders for Military to Assemble August 10th.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 14.—Adjutant General B. S. Royster issued general orders to-day for holding the annual encampment of the North Carolina National Guard at Morehead City August 10, 1904. A special feature is that the captains of companies must see that no loaded cartridges are carried to camp on the persons of the men or in the baggage. Another order was issued to Paymaster General Walker Taylor, of Wilmington, to issue at once the semi-annual apportionment of checks of $125 each to the companies, $75 each to Brigade and Regimental headquarters and $50 each to the bands.

— Miss Susie Belle LaMotte, of Sumter, S. C., will arrive to-morrow and be a guest of the family of Capt. John M. Walker on Wrightsville Beach.

ENTERED INTO REST.

MAYO—In Columbia, S. C., Thursday, July 14, 1904, at 12:35 P. M., WILLIAM WALTON MAYO, aged 16 months, only child of William H. and Sallie Walton Mayo.

Funeral this (Friday) afternoon at 5 o'clock, from residence No. 307 Harnett street. Interment in Oakdale cemetery.

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FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 15.

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Of New York

For Vice-President:
HENRY G. DAVIS,
Of West Virginia.

State Democratic Ticket.

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H. B. VARNER.
Corporation Commissioner:
S. L. ROGERS.
Commissioner of Agriculture:
S. L. PATTERSON.

ASK A TEN YEAR OLD BOY.

Says the Republican Philadelphia *Inquirer*:

"The platform stands without an expression on the currency, leaving the platforms of 1896 and 1900 in favor of free silver still the official utterances of the party on the subject. The message sent by the convention to Parker that they knew he was a gold man was a farce."

The *Inquirer* had better consult a lawyer and find out that the 1896 convention and platform were functus officio when the 1900 convention met and reaffirmed the old or made a new platform, and likewise with the 1900 convention and declaration when the 1904 convention met and passed a new party law that repeals all former ones. According to the whang-doodle deliverance of the *Inquirer*, the war measures in the platforms of old Republican platforms are still in force.

The fact is the St. Louis platform ignored the silver question, but by an overwhelming vote the convention approved Judge Parker's declaration that "I regard the gold standard as firmly and irrevocably established, and shall act accordingly if elected President."

The convention is higher than the platform, and its answer to Judge Parker commits the Democracy to what he stands for as to the "firmly and irrevocably established" money standard that the people of the United States have twice adopted in electing a President and Congress.

The Democratic national convention purposely and deliberately cut out the silver question and stood by Judge Parker for the gold standard. Please ask a 10-year-old boy what that means.

ALL THE PROSPERITY NOT AMERICAN.

The prosperity howler and the calamity howler will find something in the "People Met in Hotel Lobbies" column of the Washington *Post* of Wednesday. Read this from our Washington contemporary:

Messrs. Gioppo, Bendi, Luzatto, Ohio, and Lars, all connected in an official capacity with the Italian government railways, reached Washington last evening and are guests of the Ebbitt. They are here on an inspection tour of American railroads, concerning which they will make a report to their government on returning.

"Italy," said Mr. Ricardo Gioppo, "is enjoying an era of prosperity almost without precedent. Great progress has been made of late throughout the kingdom in the establisment of many new industries, all of which are proving profitable. The King is immensely popular with all classes, and it is largely owing to him that the nation is undergoing such solid development."

From the above it does not seem that all the prosperity is in America. The fact is that practically all the world is prosperous, but in spite of all the natural conditions and the prosperity abroad which gives the United States ready markets and helps us to be prosperous, also, the Republican party claims that it is what makes times good in America. The G. O. P. is modest in not claiming credit for the prosperity in Italy.

THE MAN OF THE PAST AND THE WOMEN OF THE FUTURE.

A physician-scientist says that in a few generations more, on account of cigarette smoking and other vices, men will become physically inferior to women. Men's bones are becoming smaller and softer, the tissues atrophied, the spinal column dwarfed and the brain especially weakened. Already evidence of effeminate retrogradation in men is emphasized by a desire to part their hair in the middle and lisp, and not a few fellows are no longer the strong, aggressive lovers of the girls but envy the poodle dogs and hanker after being made the pets and playthings of their sweethearts.

The scientistss also tell us that the abstemiousness, temperance and athletic tendencies of women are making them physically superior to men as a whole, and we fear that it may be so after a while that it will take a half dozen spider-legged men to handle one woman. Even then she is liable to hit one of them a swat that will crush in his egg-shell skull and make it necessary to order a coffin that will have somewhat the appearance of an ornamented fiddle box.

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One of the Hatfields who was serving a life sentence in the Kentucky penitentiary for removing some of the McKoys in the Hatfield-McKoy feudal war that has lasted 21 years, has been pardoned by the Governor. The McKoys signed the petition for pardon because they say that they want peace. If we were Mr. Hatfield we would take our clothes and hide out, on the presumption that the McKoy boys could not have any peace as long as we were in the penitentiary where they couldn't get a bead on us.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The death of the Spanish General Toral in a madhouse, where grief over his loss of Santiago, Cuba, had driven him, presents a pathetic picture. Honor that will admit of no excuse for oneself bears the old Castilian stamp.—Baltimore Sun.

—— A telegram was delivered to President Roosevelt the other day notifying him of the nomination of Judge Parker. He opened the telegram before a crowd of admiring photographers and read it.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

——It thus appears that by Judge Parker's courageous adherence to his convictions the Democratic party is in a much better position than it was before the nominee made his declaration of principles. His "supersensitiveness" about a matter of "personal rectitude and honor" may do more to rehabilitate his party in public respect and confidence than adroit work by all the "practical politicians" of his party combined.—Baltimore Sun.

If the St. Louis convention did not completely vindicate the position of ex-Senator McKaurin with reference to Bryan, Free Silver and the Kansas City Platform, it has nearly done so. It will be remembered that endorsement of the Kansas City platform was made a prerequisite to the privilege of entering the senatorial primary of two years ago. Now the party has fully repudiated all three of these errors and started on the road to conservatism and sanity. It was as it should be and we have all along believed it would be; but nevertheless we cannot refrain from commenting on the wholesome changes that are invariably wrought by time.—Yorkville (S. C.,) Enquirer.

TWINKLINGS

Dashaway—Did you have any trouble making love to Miss Flyer? Cleverton—None whatever. The trouble came when I tried to break away.—Life.

— Mistress—We shall shut up the house for a few days, Norah. We are going to Devil's Lake. Norah (crossing herself)—The saints preserve us!—Chicago Tribune.

—Lady—I'm surprised to see you. Why, it was only last week that I gave you a homemade pie. Tramp—Yes'm, I guess you are surprised. The doctor said it was due to my strong constitution.—Chicago Journal.

— "Do you mean to tell me that you worked for the Prohibition ticket?" "Yes," answered Colonel Stillwell, of Kentucky. "I had decided to move out of the State anyhow, and I had a lot of mean neighbors that I wanted to get even with."—Washington Star.

—"Did you ever notice the number of signs about town on which are misspelled words, poor grammar, wrong punctuation and inverted letters?" "Yes, but I guess that people overlook the mistakes—one can't be too exacting with sign language."—Philadelphia Press.

—Confidential Friend—"Senator, are you in favor of electing United States Senators by direct vote of the people?" Senator Lotsmum—"Certainly not. I am in favor of electing them as we elect everybody else—by having a few of our most competent men meet quietly somewhere and select them for us."—Chicago Tribune.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 14.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market quiet at 52½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.35 bid per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $2.00, 3.35@3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	112
Rosin	252
Tar	27
Crude turpentine	109

Receipts same day last year—85 casks spirits turpentine, 367 barrels rosin, 70 barrels tar, 73 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.
Same day last year, nothing doing.
Receipts—21 bales; same day last year, 6.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 12c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 12½@20c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Money on call easy at 1@1½ per cent.; closing bid 1 per ct.; offered 1½ per ct.; time loans were easy; sixty days 2@2½ per ct.; ninety days 2@2½ per ct.; six months 3½@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.10@487.15 for demand and at 484.80@484.90 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 486 and 488. Commercial bills were 484.80. Bar silver 57¼. Mexican dollars 45¾. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 104¼; U. S. refunding 3's, coupon, 104¼; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 104¾; do. coupon, 105¾; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 133¼; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 133¾; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106¼; do. coupon, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's 98½; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 100; Seaboard Air Line 4's 69; Southern Railway, 5's, 115. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 93¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 33¼; Manhattan L 151¾; New York Central 118½; Reading 52; do. 1st pref'd, 83¼; do. 2nd pref'd 71; Southern Railway 24½; do. pref'd 88¾; Amalgamated Copper 53¾; People's Gas 100¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 38¾; U. S. Leather 7¾; U. S. Leather preferred, 83; Western Union 87¾; U. S. Steel 11¾; do. preferred 60¾; Mexican Central 9¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 24; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 99¼; sales — shares. Standard Oil 624.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 14.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 8¾@9¼; do. preferred, 16¼@16¾; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 113@113¾; do. preferred, —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine steady at 56½@57c.

CHARLESTON, July 14.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 52¼c; no sales. Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C $2 37½; D, $2 42½; E, $2 47½; F, $2 50@2 52½; G, $2 55; H, $2 77½; I, $3 32½; K, $3 30; M, $3 55; N, $3 65; W G, $4 15; W W, $4 45.

SAVANNAH, July 14.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53¼c; receipts 1,441 casks; sales 365 casks; exports 232 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 3,312 barrels; sales 2,440 barrels; exports 5,229 barrels: A, B, C, $2 50; D, $2 55; E, $2 60@2 62½; F, $2 65@2 62½; G, $2 70; H, $2 87½; I, $3 45; K, $3 55; M, $3 85; N, $3 80; W G, $4 40; W W $4 70.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of four to eight points in response to bullish cables, particularly those referring to spot cotton, sales of which were reported, 12,000 bales, at the decline of four English points. The futures market was higher than expected also, and while it was considered that weather over the South was very favorable as a rule, there was some higher temperatures doing damage. At the first the market reflected the presence of bearish sentiment concerning the new crop conditions. Southerners were selling the late months and there seemed to be little pressure from local sources. On the other hand, Liverpool was buying and some of the room trade seemed to be trying to uncover stop orders. At any rate prices worked upward gradually with reports as to the probability of exports from the New York stock in the near future, it being currently stated in this connection that foreign houses were buying August and engaging freight room for shipment to Liverpool during the first half of September with the intention evidently of taking cotton upon contract. This led to covering of the near positions and just before the close trading which had been rather quiet all day became more active with New Orleans brokers good buyers all along the line. July advanced to 10.99, closing at 11 cents bid; August reached 11 cents on sales while September led in the advance by selling up to 10.08. The market closed firm at practically the top prices of the day, a net advance of twelve to twenty-six points. Sales were estimated at 300,000 bales. It was reported that new crop cotton was being offered in very small lots from San Antonio. On the other hand a private cable stated that 2,000 bales had been burned at Burnly in the Lancashire district. Exports for the day were a little over 3,000 bales, largely from New York.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Cotton was quoted quiet at 11.35c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 381 bales; stock 53,513 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 15 points higher; middling uplands 11.25c, middling gulf 11 50c; sales 1,908 bales.

Cotton futures market closed firm: July 11.00, August 10.98, September 10.08, October 9.68, November 9.60, December 9.62, January 9.64, February 9.68, March 9.68.

Total to-day, at all seaports.—Net receipts 1,538 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,579 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 2,539 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 149,181 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 8,550 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,636 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 4,537 bales; exports to Japan 607 bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,800,399 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,448,056 bales; exports to France 697,354 bales; exports to the Continent 2,566,116 bales; exports to Japan 43,393 bales; exports to Mexico 26,778 bales.

July 14.—Galveston, quoted firm at 10 11-16; net receipts — bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 150 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11.40c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 11.15c, net receipts 218 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 31 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 11.50c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, firmer at 11c, net receipts 130 bales; New Orleans, steady at 11.15c, net receipts 745 bales; Mobile, nominal at 10¾c, net receipts 103 bales; Memphis, quiet at 11c, net receipts 15 bales; Augusta, quiet at 11, net receipts 18 bales; Charleston, nominal, net receipts 924 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Flour was dull but steady; Minnesota patents $4 95@5 25. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red nominal. Options closed ¼@¾c net lower; July 99¼c; September closed 90¾c; December 89¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 53¾. Option market closed at ¾@¾c net lower; July closed 53¾c; September closed 53¾c. Oats—Spot dull; mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 43@45c. Pork firm. Lard dull. Butter firm; creamery, common to extra 13@17¾c; State dairy, common to extra 13@17c. Cheese was easy; State, full cream, small white fancy, 8c; small colored fancy 8@8¼c. Eggs firm; and Pennsylvania nearby extras 23@24c; Southern 15¾@17¾; Southern, inferiors —. Peanuts firm; fancy hand-picked 6@6¼c; other domestic 3¾@6¼c. Cabbages steady; Long Island and Jersey, per 100, $2 50@3 50; per barrel crate, 75c. Sugar—Raw nominal; refined quiet. Molasses quiet. Potatoes were weak; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lb, $1 50@2 00; Jersey prime, per barrel, $1 50@2 00; Norfolk prime, per barrel $1 50@2 00; Jersey sweets, per basket $1 25@1 75. Tallow dull. Rice quiet. Cotton seed oil was easy on freer offerings, with a moderate business reported: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills nominal; prime summer yellow 29¼@29¾c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 32½c; prime winter yellow 32@33c.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Rains northwest and in Kansas caused an advance of 2¢. to-day in July wheat and 1c. in September. Under pressure of profit-taking sales, however, there was a reaction, the cash month closing with a net gain of 1¼c. while September left off with ¾c. loss. Corn closed ¼c. down. Oats are unchanged. Provisions are 10 to 22½c. lower.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Cash prices: Flour quoted steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 98c@$1 00; No. 3 spring 94c; No. 2 red $1 10@1 12. Corn—No. 2 49½c; No. 2 yellow 51@51½c. Oats—No. 2 37½c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 41½@44¾c. Rye —No. 2 68c. Mess pork, per bbl., $12 70@12 75. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 82½@6 85. Short rib sides, loose, $6 25@7 40. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 25@7 40. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 97@98, 98¼, 96¾, 98c; do., new, 95¾@96½, 97¼, 95¾, 96¼; September, old, 88¾@89, 89½, 87¾, 87¾c; do. new, 87½@88, 88¼, 86¾, 86½@86¾c. Corn—No. 2 July 49¾@49¾, 49¾, 49¾@49¾, 48¾, 49@49½c; September 49¾@49¾, 49¾, 48¾, 48¾c; December 45¾@45¾, 45¾, 44½, 44¾c. Oats—No. 2 July 39¾, 40, 39, 39½c; September 32¾@33¾, 32¾, 32¾, 33¼c; December 33¾@33¾, 33¾, 33¾@33, 32¾@33c. Mess pork, per bbl—July $12 70, 12 70, 12 70, 12 70; September $13 05, 13 10, 12 80, 12 85. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 92½, 6 92½, 6 80, 6 82½; September $7 05, 7 05, 6 92½, 6 95; October $7 10, 7 10, 6 97½, 6 92½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $7 42½, 7 45, 7 42½, 7 42½; September $7 65, 7 67½, 7 57½, 7 60; October $7 77½, 7 67½, 7 62½, 7 75.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; mild firm. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points, closing quiet and net 5 points higher. Sales 7,500 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 14.—Cotton: Spot, good business done; prices four points lower; American middling fair 6.88d; good middling 6.74d; middling 6.64d; low middling 6.50d; good ordinary 6.32d; ordinary 6.12d. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 11,000 bales American. Receipts 1,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened steady and closed very steady: American middling (g o c): July 6.43d; July and August 6.34d; August and September 5.98d; September and October 5.50d; October and November 5.31d; November and December 5.27d; December and January 5.27; January and February 5.24d; February and March 5.24d; March and April 5.24d.

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W. C. & A. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 63 barrels rosin, 13 barrels tar, 45 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—33 casks spirits turpentine, 46 barrels rosin, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—55 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—10 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels rosin.

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Beginning Tuesday morning, July 5th, our great removal sale will commence. Our annual inventory will take place August 1st. The stock of merchandise must be reduced. All goods have been marked down, some at one-half off, some one-third off, and some at a discount of 25 per cent. How many shrewd shoppers will come at once.

Partial List of Our Bargains.

NOTIONS—
All-Linen Handkerchiefs, removal price, 5c.
50 Bathing Caps, removal price, 35c.
3 balls Darling Cotton, removal price, for 5c.
Brush Binding, all shades, 3c per yard.
25c Ladies' Hose Supporters, removal price 21c
15c Black Lace Hose, removal price, 10c.
25 per cent. discount on Ladies' Lawn Shirt Waists.
25c odd Corsets, removal price, 45c.
All-Linen Handkerchiefs for Ladies 5c each.
25c Gents' Half Hose 19c per pair.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.
$10 00 pattern Hats, removal price, $5.00.
$8 00 imported Pattern Hats, removal price, $4 00, and so on, all trimmed millinery at half price.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.
90x90 plain Mohawk Sheets, worth 90c each, removal price, 75c.
81x90 plain Mohawk Sheets worth 80c each, removal price, 63c.
15c Pillow Cases, removal price 11c.
Londale Cambric, removal price, 10c.
Danish Cloth, all colors, 10c per yard.
Fruit of the Loom Sheeting 7¾c per yard.
25c white Persian Lawn 19c per yard.

Sale begins Tuesday, July 5th—Terms Cash.

The C. W. PolvogtCo.

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Drug stores have "character." This one has a very high character for "reliability." That is the chief end we have worked for.

Prescriptions are entrusted to us in such great numbers, no doubt, because of the character which our store enjoys among doctors and the public.

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Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
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Ginger Ale.

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SOLE AGENT.

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Hammocks . .

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ROBT. C. DeROSSET,

The Stationer.
my 29 tf 32 North Front St.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover. } In the Superior Court.

Carolina Wise et al.
vs.
Henry McMillan,

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county in the above entitled cause, said action being for the sale of land and premises hereinafter described for division among the psaintiffs and defendants as tenants in common, the undersigned Commissioner will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door of New Hanover county, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1904, at 12 o'clock M., on said day, the following described lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina: Beginning in the southern line of Nixon street at the western intersection of Brooklyn street, runs thence southwardly with the western line of Brooklyn street 120 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Nixon street 75 feet; thence north and parallel with Brooklyn street, 120 feet to the southern line of Nixon street; thence east with the said southern line of Nixon street 75 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1 and 3 in Block 397, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington, N. C. CAMERON F. McRAE,
jy 1 10t Commissioner

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We solicit car load orders for prompt shipment.

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INCORPORATED
je 16 tf

Foreclosure's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by A. V. Horrell to Thomas J. Gore, dated the 28th September, 1901, and recorded at pages 247 et seq., in Book 32 of the Records in the office of Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, I will at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1904, at the Court House door of New Hanover county in the city of Wilmington, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the tract of land and premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage situate, lying and being in Harnett township, county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the line of the late William A. Berry, said stake being fifty-nine (59) poles from the beginning of the same Berry's line at Maloney's Swamp, and running thence from said stake south 28 deg, east two hundred and eleven (211) poles to a stake at the edge of the sound, thence with the sound eastwardly to a stake, Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's corner, and thence with the southern line of said Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's north 45 deg W. two hundred and seventeen (217) poles to the beginning, containing 46 acres, more or less.

Dated and posted this 29th day of June, 1904.

THOMAS J. GORE, Mortgagee.
AL. J. MARSHALL, Attorney. je 30 30t

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Resident Physician, Dr. Thos. S. Burbank. my 25 tf

Statement of the Condition of the

ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK,

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business, June 9, 1904, condensed from report to the Comptroller of the Currency.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 921,770 42	Capital stock	$125,000 00
Overdrafts	1,465 37	Surplus and undivided profits (less expenses and taxes paid)	198 540 56
Stocks, bonds, securities, &c	313,800 00	National Bank notes outstanding	125 000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	30,000 00	Deposits	1,166,321 50
Cash and due from banks	347,736 37		
	$1,614,762 16		$1,614,762 16

J. S. ARMSTRONG, President.
J. W YATES. Asst. Cashier, je 14 tf

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CHARLES D. McIVER, President.
GREENSBORO, N. C.

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The Dispensary a Curse.

Editor LaGrange Sentinel:

I believe it my duty to give you my views at this time on the dispensary question. My observation recently has confirmed my views beyond any doubt on the subject. A few weeks ago I passed along the street in the town of Wilson, where the dispensary is located, and a more disgusting scene I have never beheld in front of any saloon! Nearly a hundred men, white and black, were going in and out, carrying their bottles, jugs and demijohns, and I remarked then that such was a disgrace to the town, and, in my opinion, was worse than a saloon. While it is true that boys are prohibited, yet they all can see the people visiting the place like bees at the hive, and with the daily example before them, when they reach their majority, many will fall into the jug line without any compunction of conscience, because they have seen so many of their neighbors and friends in that line. I. O. COGGINS.

Wilson, N. C.

Corroborative of the state of affairs described by Mr. Coggins is the following from the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen of the town of Wilson held July 8th as reported in the Wilson *Times*:

"Mr. Clark said that Mr. George Batts wanted to erect a shed in rear of dispensary and sell lemonade and collect whiskey bottles.

"Mr. Woodard said he wanted it to allow drinking in the place and he was opposed to any more damnation in that alley for the cursing and drinking back there was terrible. Also that every warehouse in town was a converted bar room and in his stables among his hay were a lot of whiskey bottles, and old cigars every morning. Mr. Herring said that the alley certainly was a nuisance and he thought it would be well if the dispensary board saw fit to erect a building in the vacant lot for drinking purposes with proper police regulations."

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Clarkton Express: Judge Parker had just come out of his swimming pool when the announcement reached him that he was nominated. He will be "in the swim" after the 8th of November.

—Raleigh Post: "Perdicaris would be a valuable name for some new-fangled disease," suggests a contemporary. How would it do for a patent medicine to make the babies sleep—kip naps?

—Tess—What did you order when Mr. Richley took you out to lunch? Jess—Why, truffle-pie and—Tess—Goodness! You don't like that stuff, do you? Jess—No, but it's so expensive, you know.—Philadelphia Press.

Salisbury Sun: With the contracts now let and those contemplated there will be at least 500 new residences built in Salisbury and Spencer before the end of the year. The gap between Salisbury and Spencer is being rapidly closed with handsome houses.

— On Tuesday Henry Perry, aged 10, and Etta Perry, aged 7, children of Ranson Perry, colored, were burned to death, on the "Brick House place," four miles from Wake Forest. Their parents left them at home and the children tried to start a fire with kerosene oil.

—Policyholder—But suppose I should be run over by an automobile. Would I get anything—or would my heirs get anything? Agent—Certainly. You will find by looking at your policy that it covers all the "ordinary accidents."—Chicago Tribune.

— At Asheville on Tuesday night David Huston, a switchman in the employ of the Southern Railway, was engaged in switching in the yard and was riding on a ladder at the side of a freight car. When the train was pulled alongside the depot, he struck the platform and was knocked beneath the wheels of the moving box car and ground to death. When the car stopped it was found that his body was so tightly wedged between the wheels of the truck as to render removing it impossible. Shovels were hastily secured and the dirt from about the cross ties removed and the mangled remains taken out.

— Raleigh News & Observer, July 14: Jesse Allen, the negro man charged with a criminal assault under most revolting circumstances on a ten-year-old white girl, Jennie Oakley, near Berea, in Granville county, was last night brought to Raleigh and placed in Wake county jail. There were fears of a lynching and this caused the negro to be brought from Oxford to Raleigh. He was in charge of Deputy Sheriff C. G. Turner, and the two reached here at 7:30 last night, having left Oxford at 5 o'clock. Allen denies the charge on which he was committed to stand trial for his life. The deputy sheriff says that Allen is charged with having assaulted the girl in the edge of the woods within a mile and a half of Berea some three weeks ago. Under threats that he would kill her if she told, the girl concealed the matter from her mother, who discovered her daughter's terrible plight three days ago. Mr. Turner went to arrest the negro and found him asleep in the loft at his home. "I clapped the handcuffs on him before he was awake," said the sheriff, "and he was frightened when his eyes opened. "Yes, I was scared," said the negro, "but I ain't done nothing. I gave my mother twenty-five cents to get some lye and the girl went for it. As she came back I stopped her in the road and got the twenty cents change. That's all, for I didn't harm her."

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood; but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained fifty-eight pounds.' It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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You wash a cooking utensil once. We wash a bottle *four* times, by machinery, before we fill it.

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Then—for fear of a touch of impurity—we sterilize every bottle after it is sealed. We double the necessary cost of our brewing to give you a healthful beverage pure.

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— "Did you have a jolly time?" "Jolly? Say, my wife took the prize for the biggest fish, and I got the prize for the biggest yarn."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." It's just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust and Banking Co., at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 9th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 399,319 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		56 17
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		100 00
Demand loans		56,720 00
Due from Banks and Bankers		23,519 95
Checks and other cash items		458 94
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Gold coin	$10 00	
Silver coin	332 28	
National Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes	635 00	977 28
Total		$481,181 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,840 59
Individual deposits subject to check	385,567 46
Time certificates of deposit	31,773 00
Certified checks	1,408 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	587 45
Total	$ 481,181 50

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, M. F. Allen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. F. ALLEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1904.

JAMES OWEN REILLY, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JNO. H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
} Directors.

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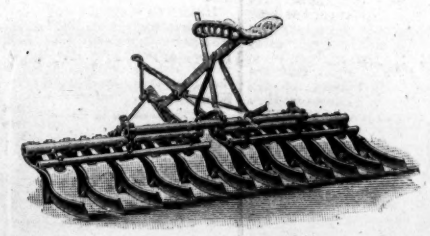

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WILMINGTON,

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SUMMER SCHEDULE ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH.

Boat leaves Wilmington daily except Saturday and Sunday.	For Southport. 9.15 A. M.	For Carolina Beach. A. M. 9.15	For Carolina Beach. P. M. 2.45, 5.15	Leave Southport for Wilmington. A. M. 11.45	Leave Carolina Beach for Wilmington. 12.30, 3.30, 6 P. M.
Saturday Schedule	5.00 and 2.00 P. M.		2.00 P. M.	8.00 A. M., 5.00 P. M.	9.00 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
Sunday Schedule	9.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.	A. M. 9.30	P. M. 2.30, 7.45	4.45 A. M., 4.45 P. M.	P. M. 12.30, 6. .45

Fare on 5:15 Boat to Pier and return 15 cents.
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Total	$725,000 00

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NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	6 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 55 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 45 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 06 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 33 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 06 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 35 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	7 25 p m	10 15 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar 8 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east.

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TO THE SEASHORE!

SUBURBAN TROLLEY SCHEDULE.

In Effect June 2nd, 1904.

Leave Front and Princess Sts.	Leave Ocean View.
*6 00 A. M.	*6 40 A. M.
*7 00 A. M.	*7 30 A. M.
8 00 "	*8 00 "
9 00 "	*8 30 "
10 00 "	9 00 "
11 00 "	10 00 "
12 00 M	11 00 P. M.
1 00 P. M.	12 00 M.
2 00 "	1 00 P. M.
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8 00 "	*7 00 "
9 00 "	*8 00 "
10 00 "	9 00 "
11 00 "	10 00 "
12 00 M	11 00 "

The first car leaving the Casino at 7:30 A. M. will make no stops after leaving Wrightsville, arriving in Wilmington at 8:00 A. M. The second car leaving at 7:30 A. M. will make all stops reaching Front and Princess streets at 8:20 A. M.

*Daily except Sunday

A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS

TRAINS ARRIVING

Arrive in Wilmington.	Arrive at the Beach.
A. C. L. 10 10 A. M.	11 45 A. M.
" 12 20 P. M.	1 45 P. M.
S. A. L. 12 45 "	2 15 "
A. C. L. 1 40 "	2 45 "
" 6 00 "	7 25 "

TRAINS LEAVING

Leave Wilmington.	Leave the Beach.
A. C. L. 8 45 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
" 9 00 "	7 30 "
" 2 25 P. M.	1 00 P. M.
S. A. L. 3 10 "	2 00 "
A. C. L. 6 20 "	5 30 "

Through cars for the Beach will connect with all important trains. In other cases conductors will assist passengers with baggage at transfer points and give any information required.

BAGGAGE.

From	Delivered at Beach.
A. C. L. due 10 10 A. M.	5 00 P. M.
" " 12 20 P. M.	" "
S. A. L. " 12 45 "	" "
A. C. L. " 1 40 "	" "
" " 6 00 "	9 00 "
" " 9 00 "	" "
" " 11 45 "	11 00 A. M.

For	Carried on Freight Leaving Beach.
A. C. L. due to leave at	8 45 A. M. 7 30 A. M.
" " "	9 00 " "
" " "	2 25 P. M. 11 30 "
S. A. L. " "	3 10 " "
A. C. L. " "	6 52 " 5 30 P. M.
" " "	6 09 A. M. 5 30 "

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
10 00 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
4 00 P. M.	11 30 P. M.
8 30 "	5 30 "

Warehouse open to receive freight daily except Sunday from 8 30 A. M. to 8.30 P. M. Sunday from 9.00 A. M. to 10.00 A. M.; 3.00 P. M. to 4.00 P. M., and 7.30 P. M. to 8.30 P. M.

The Company has a baggage room and ticket office at Wrightsville Beach for handling all express parcels, baggage, validating foreign tickets and the selling of regular round trip tickets. This office will be open daily except Sunday from 7.00 A. M. to 7.30 A. M.; 11.00 A. M. 5.30 P. M. Sundays: 7.00 A. M. to 7.30 A. M.; to 11.00 A. M. to 12.00 M.; 5.00 P. M. to 5.30 P. M.

CITY LINE.

North bound city cars leaving junction at 2.30, 2.40, 2.50 and 3.00 P. M. will run direct to the S. A. L. depot. je 22 tf

Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Passg'r Trains: Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. Passg'r Trains: Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 08	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 23	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 5.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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Seaboard Air Line R'y.

San Francisco, Cal. Triennial Conclave Knights Templars, September 8th and 9th, 1904. Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., September 19th to 23rd. Fare for the round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $63.25. Date of sale August 15th to September 9th inclusive. Final limit return, October 23rd.

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St. Louis, Mo., National Democratic Convention, July 6th, one first class fare, plus fifty cents for the round trip. Date of sale, July 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, final limit return, fifteen days from date of sale.

For full information as to routes, stopovers and schedules, apply to

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Seaboard

Air Line Railroad.

Schedule in Effect July 14, 1904.

TRAIN NO. 39.

Leave Wilmington	3 20 p m
" Lumberton	5 42 p m
" Maxton	6 45 p m
" Laurinburg	7 01 p m
Arrive Hamlet	7 35 p m
Leave Hamlet	7 55 p m
" Monroe	9 50 p m
Arrive Charlotte	10 45 p m

TRAIN NO. 40.

Leave Charlotte	5 01 a m
" Monroe	5 50 a m
Arrive Hamlet	7 90 a m
Leave Hamlet	8 45 a m
" Laurinburg	9 14 a m
" Maxton	9 50 a m
" Lumberton	10 20 a m
Arrive Wilmington	12 45 p m

TRAIN NO. 45.

Leave Wilmington	5 00 a m
" Lumberton	7 21 a m
" Maxton	8 04 a m
" Laurinburg	8 18 a m
Arrive Hamlet	8 60 a m

TRAIN NO. 44.

Leave Hamlet	7 35 p m
" Laurinburg	8 05 p m
" Maxton	8 20 p m
" Lumberton	9 08 p m
Arrive Wilmington	11 30 p m

TRAIN NO. 56.

Leave Hamlet	8 53 a m
" Aberdeen	9 25 a m
" Southern Pines	9 45 a m
" Sanford	10 31 a m
Arrive Raleigh	11 46 a m

TRAIN NO. 41.

Leave Raleigh	4 00 p m
" Sanford	5 20 p m
" Southern Pines	6 16 p m
" Aberdeen	6 30 p m
Arrive Hamlet	7 30 p m

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FRIDAY MORNING JULY 15.

THE ST. LOUIS PLATFORM

Reviewed and Discussed in a Statement Given Out by Wm. J. Bryan from His Home in Nebraska

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LINCOLN, NEB., July 14.—W. J. Bryan to-day made public the following statement relating to the Democratic platform adopted at St. Louis:

"The plank on imperialism is positive, strong and satisfactory to the entire party, and this question becomes the paramount issue of the campaign.

"The tariff plank is good, but it was made so on a close vote in the committee and largely against the opposition of Mr. Parker's adherents. The plank which was voted down favored a 'wise, conservative and business-like' revision, made 'with due regard to existing conditions.'

"The committee thought that these qualifying words emasculated the plank and left it so weak as to give no hope to tariff reformers.

"The anti-trust plank is a good one. It demands the enforcement of the criminal clause of the criminal law against the trusts; it demands the abolition of rebates and discriminations and it demands the withdrawal of the interstate commerce privileges from trusts when once convicted.

"The plank is infinitely superior to the Republican plank and with a President who desired to destroy the trusts would be a sufficient plank, but as this trust plank was also substituted by the full committee there is reason to fear that it may not be in keeping with the ideas of the candidate. The labor plank is all that could be desired. It declares against government by injunction; it favors arbitration and the eight hour day and denounces the methods that have been resorted to in the Colorado strike, but as these planks were adopted in full in the committee the uncertainty exists as to the candidate's position."

DIED IN SWITZERLAND.

Paul Kruger, Former President of Transvaal Republic, Succumbed to Pneumonia and Heart Weakness.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CLARENS, SWITZERLAND, July 14.—Paul Kruger, former president of the Transvaal republic, died here at 3 o'clock this morning from pneumonia and supervening heart weakness. Mr. Kruger lost consciousness Monday. His daughter and son-in-law were with him at the time of his death. He had been out only once since his arrival here, at the beginning of last month.

The ex-president's body was embalmed and this afternoon the remains were placed in a vault pending funeral arrangements. Application will be made to the British government for authority to transport the remains to the Transvaal. In the meantime they will be temporarily interred here.

Mr. Kruger, who was staying at the villa Du Bolchet, had been gradually failing for a long time but he was able to attend to affairs, read the newspapers and receive visits until Saturday. A change for the worse set in on Sunday. He became unconscious Monday and remained so until his death.

On several occasions Mr. Kruger had expressed a desire to be buried beside his wife, in his own country.

The post mortem examination of the body showed that Mr. Kruger died of senile pneumonia, caused by clorosis of the arteries, which made rapid progress during the last few weeks. The ex-president's state of health was kept secret.

TO PRESENT PETITION

Representatives of United Mine Workers Call Upon President Roosevelt.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., July 14.—President Roosevelt will receive either to-morrow afternoon or Saturday a committee of the United Mine Workers of Pennsylvania, the members of which went down to Oyster Bay to present the petition regarding the Colorado labor troubles, which the committee failed on Tuesday to place in the President's hands.

Secretary Loeb to-day received a telegram from D. J. Davis, of Wilkesboro, Pa., one of the officials of the United Mine Workers, inquiring if it would be possible for a regularly accredited committee of the organization to secure an audience with the President to present the petition which the first committee had failed to give to the President, because no previous appointment had been made for its members.

In response to the request Secretary Loeb promptly telegraphed Mr. Davis that the President would be pleased to see the committee either to-morrow afternoon or on Saturday, as either date would be convenient to him.

LIVED IN ASHEVILLE.

Widow of the Junk Dealer Found Murdered in Brooklyn, N. Y.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 14.—Mrs. George F. Abbott, widow of the aged junk dealer whose body was found by firemen called to put out a fire in Chapel alley, Brooklyn, Tuesday, left Asheville to-day for New York to lay claim to a fortune of $100,000 alleged to have been left by the deceased junk dealer.

In this city Mrs. Abbott was known as Madame Monk, clairvoyant, and she was supported last winter by charity.

The body of the dead man's son George is buried here. He came to Asheville with his mother some years ago and died here two months ago. Mrs. Abbott always claimed to be utterly penniless, but it is generally believed that she possesses much money.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 5; St. Louis, 2.
Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 1.
New York, 21; Cleveland, 3.
Boston, 1; Detroit, 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 8; Philadelphia, 3.
Cincinnati, 11; New York, 2.
St. Louis, 3; Brooklyn, 1.
Chicago, 14; Boston, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

New Orleans, 8; Nashville, 0.
Little Rock, 7; Montgomery, 4.
No other games scheduled.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Charleston, 0; Augusta, 5.
Macon, 3; Savannah, 2.
Columbia, 0; Jacksonville, 3.

NOT SO GREAT AS FIRST REPORTED.

Japanese Losses Near Port Arthur Last Sunday Now Placed at 2,800.

THE SITUATION UNCHANGED.

Constant Skirmishes—Advance of Japanese Army on Ta-Tche Kiao—Kuropatkin's Forces Retiring, But Making Hard Resistance.

By Cable to the Morning Star

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14, 6:55 P. M.—A telegram from Lieutenant General Sakharoff, reviewing the situation yesterday, notes the continued Japanese advance on Ta Tche Kiao and continuous fighting along the Siu Yen roads converging on Tangiche, 10 miles southeast of Ta Tche Kiao. The Russian outposts apparently were not offering serious resistance on either of the Siu Yen roads or along the line of General Oku's advance. There may be a slight collision at Tangiche where General Kuropatkin probably has stationed his left wing rear guard. The Japanese are utilizing Kai Chou to land supplies.

General Sakharoff also reports the appearance of General Kuroki's outposts considerably south of Liao Yang. This is an indication of a general flanking movement on Hai Cheng.

The Japanese northern outposts are falling back on Saimatsza, probably due to pressure on the part of General Rennekampff.

Yin Kow Occupied.

TOKIO, July 14, 4:4 P. M.—It is reported that Yin Kow has been occupied by the Japanese without resistance upon the part of the Russian troops.

Stubborn Resistance.

NEW CHWANG, Wednesday, July 13.—Noon—(Delayed in transmission)—It is reported that the Japanese troops advancing on Kai-Chou have entrenched and are awaiting reinforcements. Heavy firing has been heard day and night, proving that the Russians are making a stubborn resistance. Russian officers who come into New Chwang frequently from Ta Tche Kaio say that place is well fortified. There are only a few soldiers here. The gunboat Sivouch is still in the river Liao and it is believed that she will resist should the Japanese attempt to take New Chwang. Her officers and crew say they will never surrender.

Last night two Japanese scouts, dressed as Chinese, rode on horseback through the city.

Steamer Captured.

CHE FOO, July 14.—A report has been received that the China mining and engineer company's steamer Hai-Ping from Shanghai July 8th was captured by the Japanese, ten miles north of Che Foo this morning, loaded with contraband of war.

Japs Entrenching.

HAI CHENG, Tuesday, July 12 (delayed in transmission)—A detachment of Major General Mistchenko's army fought a brilliant engagement to-day near the Black mountains. Some prisoners were taken.

The Fight at Port Arthur.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 15, 2:15 A.M.—The people of St. Petersburg retired last night in a happy frame of mind. The absence of a dispatch from Lieutenant General Stoessel, commander of the military forces at Port Arthur, regarding the reported disaster to the Japanese last Sunday night, is generally attributed to the delay in communicating official news, owing to the absence of the Emperor.

Private dispatches received in St. Petersburg from Russian sources in the Far East confirm the reports from Mukden and Che Foo. According to a usually reliable source, the Japanese losses were 2,800 and the Russian losses 1,800.

The city remains in a ferment of excitement and extras are eagerly bought up in the hope of finding the long expected dispatch from General Stoessel. It was only late to-night that a dispatch arrived which, had it become generally known, would have tended somewhat to dampen the enthusiasm. This was a dispatch from Ta Tche Kiao, communicating an undated dispatch from Port Arthur, received there July 13th. It did not mention the assault or the repulse, but it is quite possible that the dispatch was sent from Port Arthur earlier than July 10th, so that it cannot be fairly regarded as contradictory evidence.

It is quite certain up to this date, that there is no disposition in any quarter in St. Petersburg to question the truth of the news. There is a general conviction that if Viceroy Alexieff decided to communicate the report to the general staff it must be true.

The Associated Press learns that the war office had some hesitation in giving out the dispatch owing to its dubitative wording. It is contrary to the custom of the war office to publish statements made with such reserve as Viceroy Alexieff thought fit to adopt.

There is now good reasons to believe that the report of a Japanese disaster before Port Arthur came from the Russian consul at Che Foo.

Arrangements have almost been completed for the transmission of wireless reports between the Liaotishan promontory, south of Port Arthur and Che Foo, whereby St. Petersburg will be advised daily of the progress of events at Port Arthur. As heretofore pointed out in these dispatches the authorities do not regard this as a violation of China's neutrality.

No Change at Port Arthur.

TA TCHE KIAO, July 12, (delayed in transmission)—The following was received from Port Arthur to-day:

"There is no change in the position of affairs. Fresh provisions arrive daily. There are constant skirmishes in which the enemy suffer the most losses. We have no wounded or seriously ill. On the surrounding hills the Chinese are constantly helliographing. The Japanese have issued orders that instead of attempting to make prisoners of the Russians they are to be shot."

The foregoing is probably the undated dispatch sent from Port Arthur to Ta Tche Kiao and from there to St. Petersburg, referred to in the Associated Press dispatch from the latter place reviewing the situation. It will be noted that there is no direct communication between Ta Tche Kaio and Port Arthur and there is no explanation as to how the message was sent.

Report Reiterated.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—Under yesterday's date, the correspondent of the Associated Press with the Russian headquarters at Liao Yang, whose telegrams heretofore have been conservative and reliable, announces the reception there of the joyful news of the brilliant repulse of the Japanese assault upon Port Arthur, with a loss of 30,000 men.

The correspondent says whole masses of the enemy were blown up with mines and adds that the Russian losses were 1,800 and that Major General Fock pursued the Japanese to the Nan Gapass.

MANY LETTERS RECEIVED BY JUDGE A. B. PARKER.

Richard Olney and Henry Watterson Send Congratulations—Parents Who Have Named Their Children After Him.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ESOPUS, N. Y., July 14.—Among the letters received by Judge Parker to-day was this from Richard Olney:

"Dear Sir: You must allow me to express my great satisfaction that you are to be the candidate of the Democratic party for the presidential office in the coming national election. That both the party and the country cannot be too emphatically congratulated is certain. Whether you can fairly be congratulated personally, I beg leave to doubt. Your present position is so exalted and so manifestly congenial to your tastes, and is filled with such distinction, that leaving it for politics cannot justly be imputed to anything except a patriotic sense of duty. That fact will be appreciated by the intelligent voters of the country and cannot but enhance your claim to their confidence and support.

"Believing that your candidacy, auspiciously begun by a most striking proof of fidelity to conviction, will be identified with the present and future welfare of the republic, and strongly wishing and hoping for its complete success, I am, sincerely yours,

"RICHARD OLNEY."

Henry Watterson, editor of the Louisville "Courier-Journal," sent Judge Parker a lot of clippings from his paper with a letter, in which he congratulated the judge, and concluded as follows:

"I shall go into the campaign before us with a greater confidence of victory than I have ever had before, not even excepting the campaign of 1876."

There was also a congratulatory letter from Carl Schurz, which the judge declined to make public.

A new sort of letters at hand to-day were those of parents who have named their newly-born children "Alton" or "Parker," or both, after Judge Parker. There was one from Decatur, Ill., and one from Shelbyville, Ind. There was also a letter from Yonkers, signed "A Grateful Mother," written in a cultivated hand and thanking the judge for the example which, she said, he had set before the young men and voters of the nation, of loyalty to conviction.

In reply, Judge Parker said:

"Senator Linson and gentlemen of the gallant band of twenty-six that went over to St. Louis the other day, friends and neighbors:

"There are never any like the old friends. Friendship is not a plant of rapid growth. For more than a quarter of a century I have passed among you day by day. We met one another on the street and as we were going about our business. We chatted together at the clubs and met one another in social intercourse at our respective houses. Sorrowed together when dear friends passed away. Together we helped one another on occasions of need. We rejoiced together when some great good came to the life or lives of some of our friends.

"During those years we formed relations of friendship for one another.

"As an illustration of it we find that twenty-six of you went all the way to St. Louis, through the heat, to say something kindly of their friends of that Kingston and Ulster county band, associated together for so many years, and I know very well that they have not told the whole truth at St. Louis. There is something about these friends whom I have known so well all these years that makes it impossible for them to tell the exact truth about a friend; and I know well that in talking to the several delegations there they failed to recollect aught but those things which pictured their neighbor as they liked him and as they like to view him. I need not say that I am very grateful to those men. I did not ask them to go, but I appreciate the fact that they went. I knew that they would be a force there, as I have learned they proved to be, and I know very well if a little effort had been made that that band could have been very largely increased from among friends and neighbors who would have been only too glad to go.

"I am not going to attempt to make a speech, but I want to welcome you to Rosemount. Never will I forget, while I live, the happy days when we met, day by day, and shook each other by the hand and discussed the various situation presented.s

"I am grateful to all of you who have come here and I want to take this opportunity to shake all of my old neighbors by the hand and to say to each one of you, God speed."

AN ATTEMPT AT LYNCHING.

Two Men Charged With Murder Mobbed by a Crowd at Lancaster, Pa. Driven Off by Police.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LANCASTER, PA., July 14.—John O'Brien and Joseph Furman alias Day, who it is alleged murdered the aged toll gate keeper, Samuel Ressler, near Leaman place, on the night of July 1, after a sensational raid upon the village of Gordonville, arrived in Lancaster at 10:10 o'clock to-night in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Zeigler and Detective Borger. They were arrested last Friday at Norfolk. A crowd of a thousand or more people had gathered at the Pennsylvania railroad station and there was a remarkable popular outburst when the prisoners were taken from the train. The crowd made a rush for the murderers. A squad of policemen with drawn revolvers formed about them and clubbed their way to a waiting trolley car. The crowd attacked the car, pulling the trolley pole from the overhead wire. The excitemen was at a high pitch and it was only by driving back the angry crowd at pistol point that finally the car was got under way. A gang of men and boys ran after it and somebody in the crowd began shooting, a half dozen shots being fired at the car. At the jail there was another crowd in waiting and it was with the greatest difficulty that the prisoners were finally landed behind the bars. During the ordeal on the car O'Brien cowered in terror while Furman took things coolly.

The accused admitted that they perpetrated the Gordonville raid but denied the Ressler murder. At the jail they were confronted by Alexander Craig, who was arrested at Gordonville, and he identified them as his companions in that crime. O'Brient and Furman have been positively identified as the men who slept in Eaby's barn, near the toll gate, on the night of the murder, where the razors of the murdered man were afterward found.

The Shanghai correspondent of the London Morning *Post*, in a dispatch dated July 14th, says the Chinese Emperor is reported to be seriously ill of dysentery.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles, causing twenty-four tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." Equally as good for Burns and all Aches and Pains. Only 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

HOLD CONFERENCE WITH JUDGE PARKER

Members of the New York State Democratic Committee and Other Leaders.

NOTHING WAS GIVEN OUT.

Strong Impression That Sheehan Will Not be Chairman of the National Committee—Rousing Ovation by Citizens to Judge Parker.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ESOPUS, N. Y., July 14.—State Senator Patrick H. McCarren, Congressman Bourke Cockran, of New York, August Belmont and William S. Rodey of the Democratic State committee, arrived at Esopus to day. They all said they came on the invitation of Judge Parker and did not know what would be the subject of the conference or how long they would stay.

Congressman Cockran was asked if he would take the stump for Judge Parker.

"Is it necessary to ask that?" he replied. He said that he would support the ticket with his whole heart in any way that appears likely to help toward victory.

Senator McCarren arrived later in the day and was as uncommunicative as those who had preceded him. He said that he had no knowledge of the coming of Messrs. Cockran, Belmont and Rodey. His only remark was: "All is harmony now, you know."

With the senator was William C. Hudson, former secretary of the state railroad commission. Mr. Hudson is an old friend of Judge Parker and he said his visit was largely personal.

"It is only a question of the majority, as I see it," said Senator McCarren after the part it has played in the past two campaigns. This time it is more a question of the man than of any issue; and the decision lies with the people absolutely. The sordid element will not be so much a feature as in the past.

"The minute I saw the gold dispatch, and I was with Mr. Sheehan when he received it, I said it was the right thing under the circumstances."

Asked about the Bryan utterances, Senator McCarren said that Mr. Bryan had pledged himself on the platform in the convention to support the ticket and that he believed he would do so.

The conference between Judge Parker and Senator McCarren lasted about an hour, and from what was learned afterwards there is a strong impression here that Mr. Sheehan is no longer to be thought of in connection with the Democratic national chairmanship and that those in the position of leadership do not regard the national committee as in any way bound to Thos. Taggart of Indiana.

It may be said that if any one has been selected for the national chairmanship there is no reliable information obtainable here to-night as to who he is.

Messrs. McCarren, Cockran and Belmont left for New York to-night.

Six car loads of enthusiastic friends of Judge Parker came down on a special train to-night to celebrate the Judge's nomination. Most of those who came were Democrats, but there were not a few old Republican friends of the Judge, and the celebration was designed to be non-partisan in character.

Headed by the First regiment band of Kingstown, the visitors marched to Rosemount and gave Judge Parker a rousing ovation. The speech in behalf of the visitors was made by former State Senator John J. Linson, of Kingstown.

CITY OF MEMPHIS AROUSED.

Great Mass Meeting of Citizens Demand That Lawlessness and Crime Must be Rooted Out of the City.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEMPHIS, TENN., July 14.—Ringing resolutions were unanimously adopted by a great mass meeting of the citizens to-night which in substance demand that lawlessness and crime must be rooted out of Memphis. The resolutions severely criticise Mayor Williams, Chief of Police Mason, and the police department for not enforcing the laws, and a committee was named to visit these officials with a request that they make a public statement as to what may be expected of them in the future. If the replies shall not be satisfactory, the committee is empowered to assemble the meeting again for further action.

Two deputy sheriffs were shot to death Monday night while raiding a low gambling resort. The tragedy created a tremendous local sensation and the meeting of citizens was called. United States Senator E. W. Carmack was the principal speaker at to-night's meeting. He counselled respect for law and moral support to the criminal court officials. He also offered to assist the attorney general in the prosecution of the men arrested for Monday's crime.

ARMOUR & COMPANY

Will Open a Branch Slaughtering House in Richmond, Va., During Strike.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., July 14.—According to a telegram from Norfolk, Armour & Co. will open a branch slaughtering house here to relieve the meat situation in Virginia during the Western packing house strike. At the local branch of Armour & Co., however, nothing has been heard of such contemplated move.

The prices of meats here have risen very little, so far. Pork remains at the ante-strike figure. There are various and extensive slaughtering houses already at this point and the work here is practically unaffected by the strike in the West.

THE MORMON CHURCH.

Permanent Headquarters to be Established in Chattanooga, Tenn.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., July 14.—President Benjamin E. Richards, of the Southern States Mission of the Mormon Church, to-day purchased substantial buildings in this city, for the permanent establishment of headquarters for the Mormon church in the south. All the Southern States will be in his jurisdiction and missionaries will be sent out from here. These headquarters are moved here from Atlanta.

A two-headed girl has been born in Cairo, Ill., to a negro family of the name of Shane. It died shortly after birth. The heads were both well formed and rested on the shoulders at about the same angle. The features were perfect.

THE PACKING HOUSE STRIKE IN CHICAGO.

Indications That the Trouble Will be Settled by Arbitration—Rioting Commenced at the Stock Yards.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, July 14. — The strike which has demoralized the packing industry throughout the country has not yet been settled, but there are indications that it will soon be ended by the adjustment of the difficulties by arbitration.

After a conference which lasted all of the afternoon between representatives of the packers and officers of the unions, the employers to-night are waiting for an answer to a counter-proposal which they submitted to Michael Donnelly in reply to a statement of the terms on which he would be willing to make a settlement. Mr. Donnelly to-night said that the counter proposal of the packers would be rejected and that he would in turn present a counter proposal to-morrow.

While the peace negotiations were in progress to-day, additional preparations were made by the packers for a long siege. The packers hearing that efforts were making to induce railroad men, who are members of unions, to refuse supplies for packing plants where the men are on a strike, were busy all day putting in great stocks of coal for fear the railroad men might attempt to stop the supply.

Rioting commenced in the stock yards to-night and Alfonso Andrulis was shot in the left shoulder by the police. He is not fatally injured.

The incidents leading up to the shooting of Andrulis began when a party of strikers met a detachment of police in Paulina street near the stock yards. One of the crowd hurled a stone at the officers. He was arrested. The police started toward the station with their prisoners and his companions attacked them with stones. Several volleys of stones had been thrown before the police drew revolvers and fired several shots at the crowd. Andrulis fell with a bullet through his shoulder. His companions fled.

Andrulis and the men first arrested were taken to the police station which in a few minutes was surrounded by a crowd of several hundred men, women and boys. The temper of the crowd was ugly, and for a time it looked as though they would attempt to storm the station. Calls were sent for reinforcements and in a short time several patrol wagons filled with policemen from other stations arrived. The crowd refused to give way and the reinforcements were compelled to fight their way to the station doors.

A line of officers was at once drawn up in front of the station and after a short time the crowd dispersed.

Another fight occurred at Marshfield avenue and 45th street, where a mob attacked a squad of policemen with bricks. Several officers were injured slightly and they were compelled to use clubs to disperse the crowd. Several fights occurred to-night, but no one was severely hurt.

MONEY TO BET ON PARKER.

New York Man Boldly Offers Wall Street Wager at Encouraging Odds.

[*Special to Charlotte Observer.*]

NEW YORK, July 13.—Wall street opened its eyes in surprise this afternoon when Jacob Field announced that he would bet $200,000 against $350,000 that Parker would be elected President. Mr. Field further announced that he would wager any part of the amount named at the same odds. The sentiment on the street has been changing daily and the Esopus candidate is gradually gaining in favor. Prevailing odds on Roosevelt have fallen from 5 to 2 to 2 to 1 and finally to 10 to 6. Fields' big offer to-day at 4 to 7 on Parker went begging in the Roosevelt camp. It is said that Field is willing to wager even more than $200,000 on Parker, and it is expected if the terms fail to draw takers he may offer better odds.

EFFECT OF THE STRIKE.

A General Advance in Prices of Meats by Dealers in Atlanta, Ga.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., July 14.—The effect of the strike at the packing centers of the north and west has been felt here in the increased prices for fresh meats. Retailers have advanced the price of pork two and a half cents a pound, and a general advance of a dollar a hundred has been adopted in wholesale beef. Consumers here fear a consequent rise in the prices of chickens and eggs, should the settlement of the strike be long delayed.

FIVE WERE DROWNED.

Party of Women and Children Bathing at Edgewater, Va.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, July 14.—A Warsaw, Va., special says Miss Helen, aged twenty years; Miss Ada, aged nineteen, and Harriet, aged fifteen years, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kemmon, of Washington, together with Mrs. Jas. Hubbard and child, of Meteor, Va., were drowned at Edgewater, near Meteor, Westmorland county, this afternoon while bathing. Their bodies were recovered.

WARM WIRELETS

The Fall River Manufacturers' Association has issued official notice that the wages of cotton mill operatives will be reduced 12 per cent. on Monday, July 25th. The cut affects thirty mills employing about 25,000 hands.

A message from Stearns, Ky., is to the effect that Wilbur Moody, colored, an enlisted man, has been fatally shot and his brother killed in a fight with white citizens near Stearns. No details are known.

Two negroes, Frank Ousley and John Johnston were hanged together shortly after ten o'clock last night in the county jail yard at Pittsburg, Pa. Both men marched to the scaffold and with one pull of the lever were dropped to their death.

Al. G. Fields has been named as head of a commission to collect funds to be used for the erection of a monument in Mount Vernon, Ohio, to the late Daniel Decatur Emmett, author of the song, "Dixie," who died a couple of weeks ago.

Peter Maher and Jack Williams started a six round bout in Philadelphia last night, but it lasted less than two rounds. Maher was knocked down four times in the first round and in the second was so wobbly and badly used up that the police stopped the bout.

The "Pall Mall Gazette" announces the engagement of Mrs. Astor's daughter, Pauline, to Capt. H. H. Spender-Clay, formerly of the Second Life Guards, who leaped into fame by sending Lord William Neville to five years' penal servitude in February, 1898, on the charge of fraud in connection with a promissory note.

A BATTLE WITH BURGLARS.

One Was Killed, Another Surrendered and a Third Escaped—A Small Boy Wounded in the Fight.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, July 14.—One burglar was killed, another surrendered and a third made his escape, and an eleven-year-old boy was wounded in the back late to-night, as the result of an attempt of three men to rob the house of Harry Miller, 644 north Fifty-second street, West Philadelphia. The dead man is Frank Robinson, of New York, and the captured burglar is Harry Smith of this city. Both are well known to the police.

Policeman David Roberts ran across Robinson and Smith in the dark and ordered both to halt. Robinson flashed a small electric lantern and flourished a pistol as he and Smith made a dash for the front door. Roberts opened fire and shot Robinson through the head. Smith reached the front porch where several citizens shot at him. He threw up his hands and begged them not to shoot him. In the fusilade Raymond McCorkle, the boy, who was in the crowd outside the house, was shot in the back. His injury is not considered serious.

A large part of the upper story of the old Times building on Park Row, New York, where repairs and additions are being made, fell yesterday when several workmen were on the scaffolding on the upper floors and the streets were crowded. There were many narrow escapes from injury in the crowd below on Park Row.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 50 cents. Terms positively cash in advance

Lost—A plain gold ring, in front of Hanover Seaside club house, Carolina Beach. A reward of five dollars will be given for its recovery. Apply at STAR office. jy 15 1t

For Sale at a bargain, second hand Erie City 25 horse power side crank engine. Sold to make room for larger engine. Apply immediately at Carolina Veneer Works. A. F. Johnson & Son, Clinton, N. C. e o d jy 2 2w

Highlander's Machinery—Bids will be received for purchase of Highlander's boiler, pumps, engines, etc., until noon, July 19th. T. D. Love, Manager, Oliver Evans, President. jy 14 4t

Employment Wanted—A young man, a University student, wishes employment during the remainder of his vacation, about two months. Can give best recommendations. Apply at STAR office. jy 13 3t

M. C. Darby & Co., 114½ Princess street. Real Estate and Collecting Agency. Will give personal attention to collections and repairs. Money loaned on good security. jy 12 1m

Stove wood at Wrightsville Beach. Pine wood sawed and split for use in cooking stoves will be delivered at any point along the railroad on Wrightsville Beach at $1 25 per load. Leave or telephone your orders to the Baggage Room. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company. jy 9 30t

Notice—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Pisicatorial Association will be held at the office of the undersigned Tuesday, August 9th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, secretary. jy 7 30t

For Rent—Five rooms, besides kitchen, pantry and bath room, on first floor of one of the most desirable residences in the city. Stable and carriage house. Electric lights; good water and large lot. On street car line. Apply at the STAR Office. je 30 1t

All Aboard for the Beach! Cars every hour on the hour from 6 A. M. to 11:00 P. M. Half hour time, one to nine. je 30 1t

Handling of packages on the regular passenger cars. Conductors and motormen of regular passenger cars of the C. R., L. and P. Co. are permitted to carry packages of medicine, but are not allowed to accept compensation or responsibility for the service. je 23 30t

Free exhibition of moving pictures at the Casino at 9 o'clock every night except Sundays, Mondays and Thursdays. je 21 1t

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Eat at the Dixie Restaurant and grow fat. 117 Princess street. je 15 1t

Would be glad to accommodate a number of gentlemen with good table board at reasonable rates; also two furnished rooms with board. Apply No. 15 North Fifth street. apr 30 tf

Brown Leghorn Eggs, from high bred stock, for sale at 50 cents per dozen. H. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess streets. mar 16 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one specially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

The U. S. Postoffice

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Jno. L. Boatwright, Manager.

'Phone 14 — je 10 tf

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GUION & DAVIS, Climax Barber Shop, 7 South Front street.

feb 25 tf

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The largest store in the city, is loaded with new and pretty goods of all classes.

We are calling special attention to our line of Men's Tan Shoes. We sell and handle William Kneeland's Fine Hand-sewed Shoes. They are perfect in Shoe-making and wear as well as any shoes made. The quality is the best and the leather is of the finest that is sold in the city.

In fine tan shoes: In this line we are trying to close out and are making special offers to-day to sell at the following reductions:

Our $3.25 shoe we are offering to close out at.....$2.10 a pair.
Our $3.50 shoe, in tan only, at.....$2.75 "
Our $4.00 shoe at.....$3.00 "

The cheapest shoe that Kneeland makes to sell is $3.50 and we are now offering these same shoes at $2.10, a saving to you of $1.40 on a pair of shoes.

We also handle a full line of Snow's shoes for men. The American shoe for ladies. We sell fine shoes and sell lots of them and will save you from 25c. to $1.00 a pair, if you will give us a trial.

Umbrellas.

We received this week from our factory very nearly 1,000 Umbrellas and are making some special offers on the following styles:

We will sell a lady's 26-inch Umbrella, steel rod, Congo handle and twilled top, absolutely fast black, an extra value at 50c, our price 39c; we have 100 lady's fine Umbrellas, with beautiful handles, equal in style, finish and quality to any $1 Umbrella sold in the city; our price 79c. We have 200 Umbrellas in ladies' styles, the tops made of cabinet cloth, which is warranted by the factory to be absolutely waterproof, positively will not fade, and will outwear any umbrella at any price. The handles are beautiful, made of silver, pearl, gold and oxydized. These umbrellas are cheap at $1.25, our price 98c each. We have finer goods of umbrellas in all sizes for men and ladies. We also have a line of large gingham umbrellas, sixteen ribs, 32 inches in size, made for the farmer and the rain, that we are selling at $1 each. They are bread winners when you are caught out in a shower.

In pretty Summer dress goods in lawns, we have received this week one case of beautiful quality in 10c lawns that we are to-day offering at 7½c a yard. We also received case No. 2, a beautiful colored lawn, standard 15c value, that we are offering at 10c a yard. Case No. 3, a lot of pink and blue madras, beautiful mercerized goods, worked through with embroidered dots and goods that sold the first of the season for 25c, we are to-day offering at 10c a yard. They are just about half their value.

Our Millinery Department has just received a big display of white duck hats, a large shipment of new ribbons, a nice line of summer veils. Ladies' hats we have almost by the thousands. In many cases these goods were bought at less than half price, which enables us to sell them at half price. We will have a 25c. sale on hats on Wednesday next, July 13th, and it will last till the hats are gone. We will have on display our 50c. and 75c. hats in shapes, flats and mull hats, all for 25c. each.

Remember the place that saves you money is at

Geo. O. Gaylord's

Big Store on Front St,

208 and 210 North Front Street

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jy 10 tf

Great Bargain Week

My Bargain week begins Monday, June 13, and last until June 27th, (two weeks).

Ladies' Collars and Ties, worth 25 3 for 25c. Ladies' Silk Collars and Ties, worth 50c for 10c.

Our $1 00 ready-to-wear Hats for $1.25, our $1.00 ready-to-wear Hats for 98c; our $4.00 Tucked Chiffon and Molene Hats for $3 00. All our Misses 98c Tuscan Hats for 25c; all our Misses 35c Tuscan Hats for 19c.

I have a big line Silk Lawn and Percale Waists, latest styles, which I will sell at cost. Our 85c black Duck skirts at 49c. Our $3.50 Skirts in Voil, Brillianteen, Flannel and Serge $2.50. Our $10 Pean-De-Soie Silk Skirts $6. Our $4.98 Skirts, now $1.98. I have over ten thousand Skirts to be sold by June 27.

All our fine Panama Hats will go at just half price. Lawn Comoners, full dress length 58c, worth $1. Will sell any Flowers 20 per cent. off marked price. Kid Gloves worth $1 to $1.25 for 55c. All Ribbons will go 20 per cent. off. Lace Curtains—Rugs 20 per cent. off. One Pint Jars, Vaseline, 7c, worth 25c; large Jars, Vaseline, 3c, worth 10. This will be the greatest sale of the season. If you wait too long lots of the bargains will be sold.

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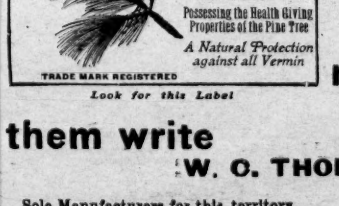

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